

City Council Introduction:

Bill Number 1383-173

Public Hearing:

F A C T S H E E T

TITLE: Creighton University Pharmacy
Students

SPONSOR: Lincoln-Lancaster County
Health Department

OTHER DEPARTMENTS AFFECTED:
NA

OPPONENTS:

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Approve

APPLICANT: Andrea Haberman

REASON FOR LEGISLATION:
Multi-year contract: August 1, 2013 – July 31, 2017

D I S C U S S I O N

This is an agreement between the Lincoln-Lancaster County Health Department and Creighton University for pharmacy students to complete a clinical experience for their degree in our Public Health Clinic. Creighton faculty (licensed pharmacists) will assist students in completing medication reconciliation among poor & uninsured adult patients with diabetes and other chronic illnesses/conditions. Medication reconciliation assists patients in managing multiple medications from multiple providers, increases their knowledge of medication effects and side effects, and helps the patient with self-advocacy skills.

POLICY OR PROGRAM CHANGE: New service to poor and uninsured patients with diabetes and other chronic illnesses in the community.

COST OF TOTAL PROJECT: \$0.00 Student experience.

SOURCE OF FUNDS: N/A

CITY:

NON CITY:

BENEFIT COST: Strengthening of safety-net services. Patients will have an additional service that is difficult to obtain – potential for reduction in self-medication errors.

FACT SHEET PREPARED BY: Andrea Haberman, Community Health Services Manager

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